

WANT ADS

For Rent
Lost or Found
For Sale
Wanted to Buy
TELEPHONE 3111
Miscellaneous

RATES—Advertisements in this department cost 35 cents for 25 words or less for each insertion. For more than 25 words one cent a word for each insertion. Rates for display advertising in the classified columns on application. Orders by mail should be accompanied by cash or postage stamps. An extra charge of 10¢ will be made for blind ads and if it is necessary to bill for an advertisement that has been charged.

The Want Ad Department closes for each week's edition at 5:30 P. M. on Tuesday.

HANDSAW FILING—Any kind, also knives, axes, draw knives, planes, shears, chisels or anything you have to sharpen. Ed Bowen, 704 Ionia. Phone 4341. 7-24 tf

WANTED—House wiring work. For estimates call Kalkaska 3484 or write Paul Dunlap, Kalkaska. Oct. 2 tf

FOR SALE—1934 Pontiac 8 coupe in good running order. Four good tires and spare. Three new. Heater and defroster. Write or call on B. C. Gilbert, Star Route, Grayling, 1½ mile south of Lovells Hotel. 1-6 tf

WRITE or call Clinton Typewriter Service for "Rebuilding - Repairing - Cleaning" Typewriters - Adding Machines - Calculators - Comptometers - Mimeographs - Cash Registers. Phone 879, 315 Vine Street, Traverse City. 4-3-tf

NOW IS THE TIME to buy that building lot in Karen Woods, to be ready for spring building. Electric, phone and school bus service. Alex Atkinson. Phone 2977. 2/19/tf

INSULATION—We insulate new or old construction, batt or blown-in rock wool. North Michigan Insulating Co., Box 92, Phone 100, Roscommon. Mich. 3-25 tf

FOR FLOOR AND WALL TILE and linoleum call Northern Michigan Tile Co., Kalkaska 4181 or write. 6

LYDIA'S APRON SHOP—aprons all ready made or will make to order. Mrs. Ed Bowen, 704 Ionia St. Phone 4341. 8-5-tf

NEW NORGE and Customair space heaters on hand. Can supply fuel oil. Johnson Oil Co. Phone 3991. 10-21 tf

WANTED—Dress making and alteration work and other types of sewing. Mrs. Hatley, 200 Pennsular, Hemmingsen house. 6

WANTED—Our sales and service truck will be working in Grayling and vicinity one day each week. We carry parts and supplies for all makes of sewing machines. Free estimate in your home. All work guaranteed. Write Singer Sewing Center, Traverse City. 11-4-9 tf

COMMERCIAL MIMEOGRAPH SERVICE. Straight letter and illustrated art work. Mail copy Acme Office Equipment Co., 203 S. Union St., Traverse City, opposite Post Office. 10-21 tf

DYERS ELECTRIC SERVICE—Wiring and electrical repairing. Lake Margrethe, Grayling, Michigan. 10-28 tf

FOR SALE—We can now make immediate delivery on brand new Singer Sewing Machines. Write Singer Sewing Center, Traverse City. 11-4-9 tf

FOR SALE—We now have a nice selection of reconditioned electric and treadle sewing machines. Prices have been reduced. Write Singer Sewing Center, Traverse City. 11-4-9 tf

FOR SALE—12 room house, full basement, toilet and bathroom, 36x60 cement block building. For particulars Dial 4101. 11-11 tf

FOR SALE—1936 Ford V 8 in A-1 condition. Don Weaver, 803 Michigan. Phone 3396. 12-23 tf

PAPER TABLE CLOTH—300 ft. roll \$3.25. Avalanche Office, ff

FOR SALE—House trailers, factory guaranteed. America's most beautiful home on wheels. Ironwood and streamline Ironwood 25, \$1,945. Streamline 20 ft., \$1,495. Hardwood interiors, bottle gas oven, electric brakes, inlaid linoleum, 74 in. beds, commercial tires and wheels, loads of closet and drawer space. We will take your car or what have you in trade. Convic Motor Sales, 3510 N Saginaw St., Flint, Mich. Phone 2-5647. 10-7 tf

APARTMENT FOR RENT—Furnished heat, hot water. Frigidaire, electric range. Desirable for two. Newly decorated. Also furnished cabin nine miles east, electric lights. 809 Michigan Avenue. Phone 3816. 12-16 tf

FOR SALE—New 2 bedroom home, large living room, bath, kitchen with built ins and utility room. Nice lot, good location. \$4,150. Some terms. Art Clough, 500 McClellan, City, Phone 4741. Nov. 16 tf

FOR SALE A 1942 Allis-Chalmers WC Tractor. Completely overhauled. Equipped with starter and lights, 13 inch tires, two-row cultivator with power lift, and hydraulic seat. If you want an excellent buy this is it so hurry, it won't last. A 1940 Allis-Chalmers B Tractor with power take off and belt pulley. This tractor comes equipped with row-crop cultivator, 6 ft. attachment mower, and a 16-inch trailer plow. All of these items are like new. A 1940 Allis-Chalmers reconditioned B tractor with 10-inch tires. Equipped with row-crop cultivator and 6 ft. attachment mower. Dethron Motor Sales, Kalkaska, Michigan. Allis-Chalmers, New Idea, Chrysler, Plymouth. Phone 3331. 12-30 tf

spend New Years with his daughter, Mrs. Warren Bindschatell.

Miss Kathleen Anderson spent a few days with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Papenfus.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo VanNatter of Cadillac spent New Years here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer VanNatter and grandmother, Mrs. Pauline Edmunds.

Mrs. Arthur Howse drove her daughter, Joyce to Mt. Pleasant Sunday afternoon. Gloria Feldhauser and two C. M. C. students from Frederic accompanied them.

More cases of mumps during the past week were June Verlinde, Lee Charlton, Sally Jo Smith and Dawn Hamblin.

Mr. and Mrs. John Peterson and family of Rosebush, who have been spending the past week with relatives here, drove to Manistique one day during the week to see their father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Small.

A few of the local young people had a modern sleigh ride New Years Eve. The sleigh was the real thing, but the red sled happened to be a Farmall tractor.

SOUTH SIDE NEWS

(Too Late For Last Week)

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gildner and family and Mrs. Kristine Ziebell spent Christmas in Gaylord at the John H. Yuill home.

Charles McLeod and son, Hubert, and daughter, Wilmajane, spent Christmas in Flint at the home of Douglas McDaniels. Mrs. McDaniels is the former Jessie McLeod.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter SanCartier have changed their place of residence to 202 Alger Street.

Mrs. Erma Daly of St. Louis, Missouri and son, John, of Chicago are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Bigham.

Mrs. Taylor Loper is on the sick list.

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. William Bigham that their son, Jack Bigham and his wife have arrived safely in New Jersey and are now at the home of Chester Smith.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Free Methodist Church will hold their next meeting January 11, at 2 P. M. at the parsonage.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Wardlow of Saganing are visiting Mrs. Wardlow's parents Mr. and Mrs. William Bigham.

Clarence Van Amburg spent Saturday in Traverse City.

Mrs. William Brown is a patient at Mercy Hospital.

Sally Campbell of Comins was released from Mercy Hospital on

Monday and now is at the home of her grandmother, Rev. Bertha Davis. Bethlyn Campbell is also visiting her grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen of Rose City are visiting at the Frances Wilcox home.

Shirley Bennett of California is visiting at the home of her fiance, Earl Deckrow.

Miss Beatrice McDaniels returned home from Munson Hospital to spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Myrtle McDaniels of Roscommon. Bea was a caller in Grayling on Saturday. She is able to get around on crutches.

Miss Jackie Cluff is spending the holidays with her parents in Maple City.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith and family spent the Christmas holidays in Port Huron.

The Free Methodist Church presented their program to their parents and friends as follows: Song, "Joy Bells" by congregation; prayer, by pastor; scripture, by Nina Dunham; recitation, "Welcome," by Homer King; recitation, "Not Too Young," by Jerry Owens; recitation, "We Greet You," by Leon D'Amour; recitation, "Sleigh-bells," by Ronnie Cast; recitation, "Missionary Dollar," by Larry Cox; recitation, "Best Gift," by Wesley Davis; song, "It Came Up on a Midnight Clear," Nancy Lowe and Shirlee Rood; recitation, "My Shopping," by Glenda Scholfield; recitation, "The Christ of Little Children," by Janet Rood; recitation, "My Present," by Gwen Davis; recitation, "Cradle Roll Baby," by Helen Denno; reci-

tion, "Sweet Silent Night," by Bonnie Cooper; recitation, "Christmas Music," by Richard Dunham; song, "The Song of a Silent Night," by Rhea Dunham, Shirlee Rood and Joan Korhonen; recitation, "Happy Christmas," by David Lowe; recitation, "Little Boys Piece," by Tommy Denno; recitation, "Three Wishes," by Nancy Blaine; recitation, "In the Long Ago," by Sharon Blaine; song, "O, Little Town of Bethlehem," by school; recitation, "Night of Glory," by Luann Rood; recitation, "Best Gift," by Conrad Owens; recitation, "Winter Time," by Joe Lowe; recitation, "Prayer," by Clare Rood; song, "Away in the Manger," girls class; recitation, "Jolly Old December," by Richard Davis; recitation, "Jesus Birthday," by Ronnie Schofield; recitation, "Kynote of Christmas," by Frank Rood; recitation, "Lullaby," by Connie Davis; solo, "Hark, The Herald Angels Sing," by Joak Simpson; recitation, "The Christmas Season," by Diana Blaine; recitation, "My Birthday Book," by Donald LaMotte; recitation, "Happy and Gay," by Norton's fiance, Miss Amy Lou

Beverly Cooper; recitation, "Grown Younger," by Jack Schofield; recitation, "Christmas Bells," by David Beck; recitation, "Finest Christmas Gift," by Constance Owens; solo by Mrs. Neiderer; exercise, "The Christmas Story," by girls class; offering for pastor, \$9.40; presentation of 16 prizes for attendance, by pastor; recitation, "Good Night," by Connie Davis; benediction by pastor.

Eldorado News

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schwalm and children of Keno spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Funsch.

Arnold Schilbe and son, John, returned Thursday evening from their Christmas holiday spent in Detroit. They drove home in a new Ford.

Robert Brown and son of Richville spent Thursday at Linger Longer Club.

Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Cooksey and family of Detroit spent the New Year holiday at their Sunrise cabin. They were accompanied by Norton's fiance, Miss Amy Lou

Boys of Western Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Stevens enjoyed New Year's dinner at the Dusenbury home.

Mrs. Frank Boersma entertained several children Friday in honor of Kathy Ann's fifth birthday. Kathy received many nice gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sammons of Luzerne spent New Year's Eve with Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Sherman.

Roberta Jean and Russell Funsch have been confined to the house with severe colds during the Christmas vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Thompson and Alfred Hanson and bride, all of Grayling, enjoyed a chicken dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Matts on New Year's day.

Mr. and Mrs. Watson Dixon of Traverse City and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tally of Lewiston were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Matts.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Funsch and children enjoyed New Year's dinner at the home of Mrs. Elsie Brunt.

NOTICE
TO TELEPHONE
SUBSCRIBERS

For the convenience of our Grayling subscribers, we are pleased to announce that we are opening January 1st a full time commercial office in the Hanson Building, 120 Michigan Avenue, with Mrs. Isabelle Larsen in charge.

Mrs. Larsen will have a complete record of all Grayling accounts and will make adjustments and receive payment for all Grayling telephone bills. She will also take orders for new installs and for any changes in service and will be the telephone company's commercial representative in Grayling.

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Fancy Large Tondor Green
PASCAL CELERY

Jumbo stalk 29c

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Cream Style Corn

2 No. 2 cans 27c

PEA BEANS

5 lb. bag 53c

Iona
TOMATOES

No. 2 can 15c

Iona
EARLY JUNE PEAS

No. 2 can 10c

A&P
SAUERKRAUT

2 No. 3 cans 23c

PORK & BEANS

3 lb. cans 27c

Ann Page
MACARONI OR SPAGHETTI

3 lb. bag 41c

Whole Kernel
NIBLET CORN

2 lb. can 37c

Heinz
PORK & BEANS

16 oz. can 16c

Iona
TOMATO JUICE

46 oz. can 20c

Broadcast
CORNED BEEF HASH

16 oz. tin 33c

College Inn
WHOLE CHICKEN

3 lb. can \$2.05

Armour's
TREET

12 oz. tin 47c

Swift's
CORNED BEEF

12 oz. tin 49c

Coffee
MANOR HOUSE

lb. 57c

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KARO SYRUP

1 ½ lb. bot. 19c

Evaporated MILK

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WHITEHOUSE

3 TALL CANS 39c

Vegetable Shortening

1 LB. CAN 38c

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Where Stands Spain?

As this country moves ahead in its effort to strengthen and unify the anti-communist nations of the world, the question of what our attitude toward Spain should be will come in for an increasing amount of discussion. At one time it seemed that Spain might be included in the list of countries entitled to aid under the European Recovery Program, but her name was dropped. A number of American leaders—including Senator Gurney and James A. Farley—have recently advocated a friendlier policy toward Franco. Conversely, a great many well-known Americans are unalterably opposed to co-operation with Spain with the present government in power.

The position of Spain is a peculiar one. Franco runs, with the aid of his army and police, a dictatorship which is as tight as that of the Soviet Union, though it is probably a great deal less efficient. Spanish elections are a farce by democratic standards, the free press and free speech have been banned. Spanish jails are filled to bulging with political prisoners. Franco could not have won the sanguinary civil war without the aid of Hitler and Mussolini.

Yet, in spite of all this, Franco is as much opposed to communism as any man in the world. That is why one group feels that he must be invited to join the Western alliance, and must be given material aid by us.

There is also the all-important fact that Spain occupies a highly strategic geographical position in the world. She holds, in large part, the key to control of the Mediterranean. Her territory is suitable for major air bases. Her ports and harbors, once they were developed, would be almost ideal for certain naval operations. If Spain had joined the Axis in the last war, instead of maintaining a formal neutrality, it is doubtful if Gibraltar would have been tenable. As it was, of course, she played both sides with considerable success, made money out of the war, and survived it.



Program for Week of January 7 to 13

"Gallant Blade"
— Starring —
Larry Parks and Marguerite Chapman

"Triple Threat"
— Starring —
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Cartoon

World News

Sunday & Monday

Sunday Show
Continuous From
2 P. M.

Cartoon

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"Fort Apache"
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Program Subject To Change

**Eldorado News**

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry Matts of Linger Longer Club entertained Mrs. Matts' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Verellen of Grayling, and Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Randall and children, Diane and Lyle of Essexville, at Christmas dinner.

Arnold Schilbe and son, John, spent the Christmas holiday with relatives in Detroit.

Several of the children, with their families, of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hartman, spent Christmas at the parental home.

Frank Richardson arrived home from Muskegon Christmas Eve to spend the holiday with his family.

The Stevens, Sherman and Funsch families all enjoyed a Christmas dinner and tree at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Funsch.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hanson of Grayling called at Linger Longer Club Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lancour had the Ted Ireland family as their guests Christmas day.

A very pleasant children's program was given at the South Branch Church Thursday evening.

Miss Carol Jean Keith of West Branch is spending part of her Christmas vacation with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hartman.

COUNTY NEWS

(Too Late For Last Week)

John and James Payne of Fort Wayne, Indiana, spent Christmas with their mother in Frederic. They were accompanied by Miss Helen Bailey. Mrs. Payne returned to Fort Wayne with them on Sunday.

Miss Gretchen Payne came home from Northeastern School of Commerce in Bay City Thursday afternoon.

Herbert Neugent has been taking care of the Melroy Gas Station while the Melroys, with son, Junior and Mr. and Mrs. Clare Melroy of Grayling, spent the week end in Tiffin, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Arville Cox spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. George Horton. Mr. Cox has been laid off from his job at the Pontiac plant.

The Richard O. Myers and son, Ricky of Wixom, were in Frederic to spend Xmas. They left for home Monday but Mrs. Myers expects to return to take treatments at the T. B. Sanitorium in Gaylord.

James Horton stopped in Frederic a couple of days on his way to Big Bay. The family expects to make their home there after Jimmie finishes school in Auburn Heights.

Michelson Memorial Church School Notes

Perfect attendance pins for the month of December were awarded to Billy Mosher, Karen Godfro and Cheryl Pond in the pre-school group; Arnold Stancil, Judy Robertson and Jimmy Castle in the kindergarten; Ann Marie Stancil,

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Mosher December 31.

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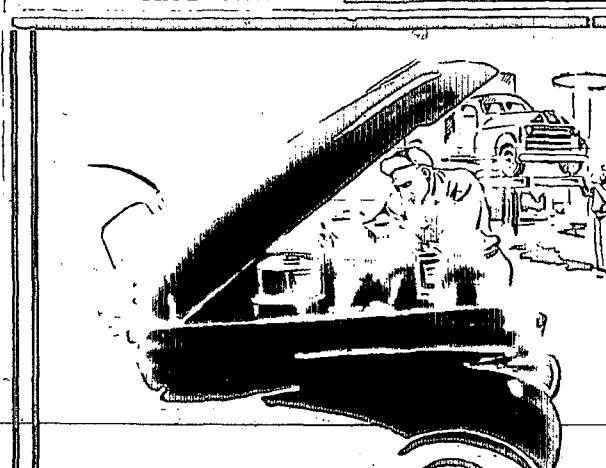
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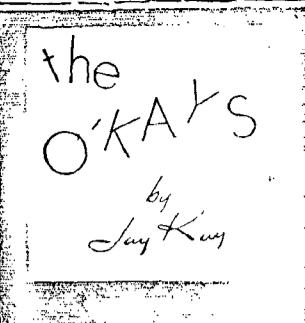


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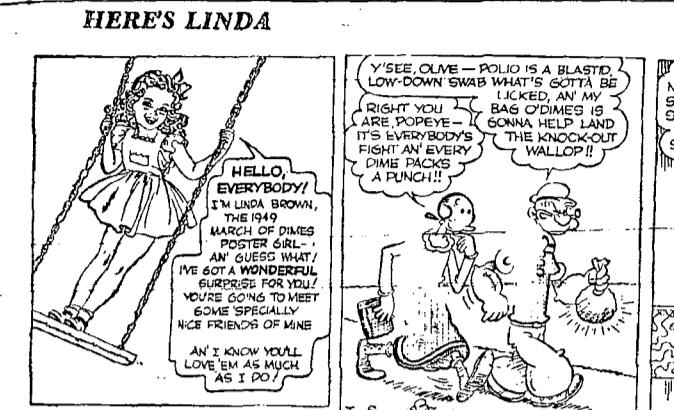
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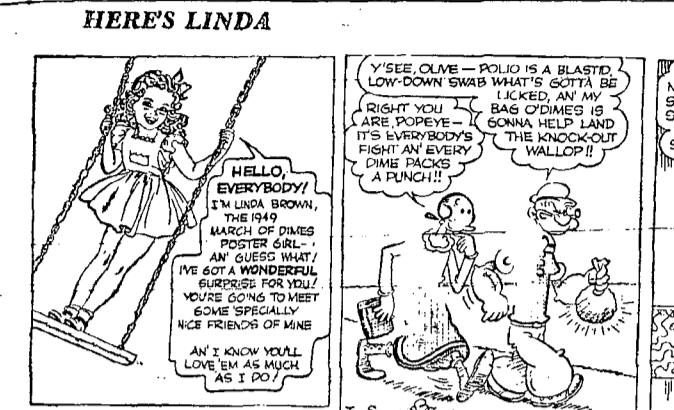
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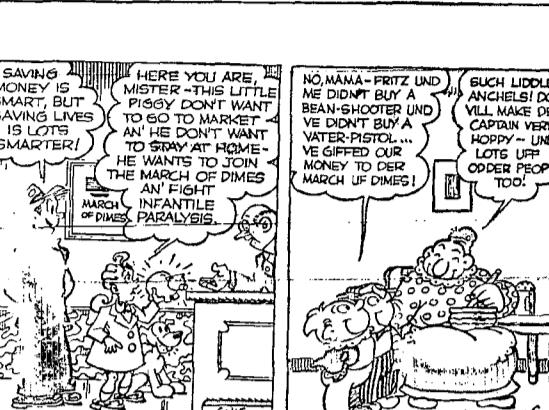
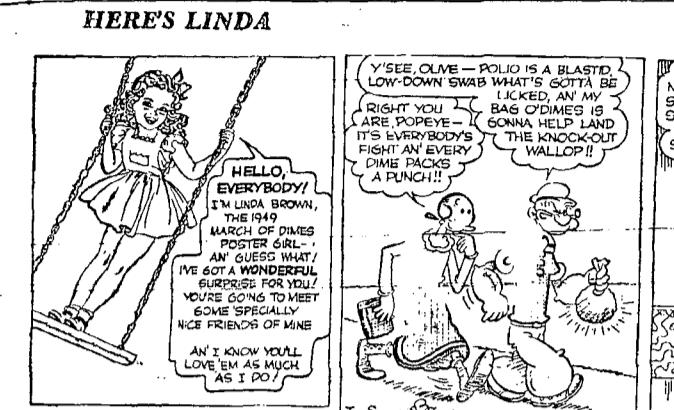
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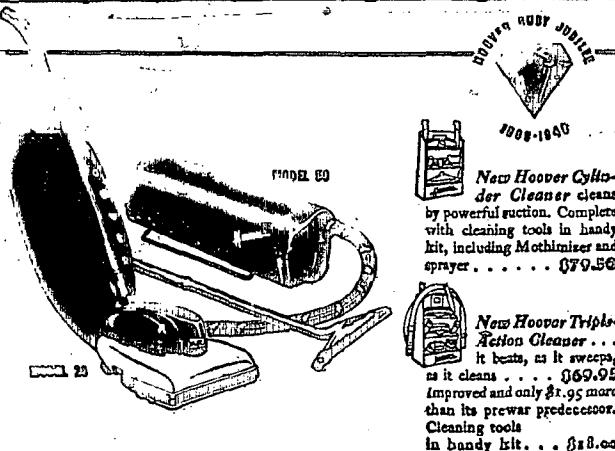
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Bits O' Talk

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dudewicz spent Christmas in Detroit as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harlow Dodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Max L. Ferguson of Ann Arbor spent Xmas and the week end with his parents in Beaver Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Hurl Deckrow spent Xmas in Toledo at the home of their son, Jerry Barger and family. Their granddaughter, Barbara Ann Barger, accompanied them to Toledo, after spending a week with them.

See the new fully automatic Bendix Washing Machine at B-C-D Equipment Co., Inc., "on the corner."

Gwen Jean Ahman of Saginaw spent Christmas with her grandmother, Mrs. Thomas Cassidy, and aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Trudgeon.

Paul Jones joined Mrs. Jones here to spend Christmas and she accompanied him back to Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Long and daughter, Carolyn, spent Christmas in Chicago with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Estel Cady.

Bake sale, January 15, 11 A.M., Hunter's Dairy. Sponsored by Ladies Aid L. D. S. Church.

Guests for Christmas of Mr. and Mrs. Lorne J. Douglas were her mother, Mrs. Ellen Failing, his mother, Mrs. Charles Douglas, his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Pearall of Memphis and G. Annis.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McInnes of Detroit spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Milnes. Miss Jane Elizabeth Milnes was home from Detroit for Xmas.

John Hanna was home from Fort Sill, Oklahoma, to spend the holidays.

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Jack Rasmussen of Ft. Knox, Ky., spent Xmas with his parents, the Harold Rasmussens.

Dick Miller was home from Camp Lee, Va., to spend Xmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller.

Social evening each Sunday night at 8 P.M. at St. Mary's Games will be played. Public invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Johnson are pleased to announce the arrival of William Tennison Johnson Jr., at Mercy Hospital on Thursday, December 23. He weighed seven pounds and ten ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Barber of Dearborn spent New Years with the F. D. Barbers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hildebrand, children Kathryn, Kenneth and Jane of East Lansing and niece, Sally Hildebrand of Holland, Michigan spent the New Year's week end at the Hildebrand cottage at Lake Margrethe.

Barbara Pearson of Saginaw has returned home after spending a week with her cousins, Marlene and Denise Sorenson.

Clarence Sebring of Evart spent last week with his stepson, Rev. R. C. Puffer and family. Other guests for a shorter stay were Rev. Puffer's mother, Mrs. Sebring and sisters, Miss Emma Puffer and Mrs. John Elder and husband, all of Evart.

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Mary Maxine Woodward of Oil Springs, Ontario, and Milton Bradt Misener of Harrison, Michigan, were united in marriage at the M. M. Church parsonage at 4 o'clock, Tuesday, December 28. Rev. R. C. Puffer officiated. The couple were attended by the bride's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Rosco Woodward of Harrison. Mr. Misener is the conservation officer for the northern part of Clare County.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Akers are happy over the arrival of a son at Mercy Hospital on December 22. LeRoy Perry Francis Akers, as he has been named, weighed eight pounds and four ounces. Mrs. Akers is the former Marie LaMotte.

Mrs. Joseph Fenwick and Mrs. Charles Williams and daughters, Sharron and Patsy spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank LaMotte.

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Word has been received of the arrival of Lawrence Edsel to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Myers, Jr., of West Branch, on December 27.

Jane Ann Martin spent the New Year's week end in Detroit, where she attended a party at the Naval Air Station Officers Club in Grosse Ile on New Year's Eve.

Dr. and Mrs. Stanley Stealy left for Charlotte Monday to attend the funeral on Tuesday of his sister, Miss Ruth Stealy. Miss Stealy passed away December 31 in Grand Rapids. Services were held from the Pray Funeral Home in Charlotte.

Mrs. Andrew Peterson and daughter, Miss Emma Peterson, planned to leave for Detroit today to spend the winter.

Burton Peterson left Monday to resume his studies at Michigan State College at East Lansing, after spending the holiday recess with his mother, Mrs. Bertha Peterson. Roseann Kearney left Monday, to resume her studies at the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor, after spending the New Year's week end with her aunt, Mrs. Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brady and son, Bob, spent Christmas and the week end in Detroit with their sons and daughters. Michael Brady has returned to Wayne University, Detroit, after spending his vacation at home. Richard Brady of Detroit visited his parents for several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brady, now of Gaylord, spent the New Years week end in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazel Hatfield

are the proud parents of a son, born December 31, at Mercy Hospital. He weighed four pounds and twelve ounces and has been named Warren Richard. Mrs. Hatfield is the former Lois.

Dick Barber, F. M., returned to his base in New Orleans Saturday, after spending a ten day leave with his parents, the F. D. Barbers. The William Dennis family has moved from Laingsburg to Owosso, Michigan.

Mrs. Leonard Knibbs and baby daughter accompanied Captain Knibbs to Middletown, Pa., to make their home.

John Bruun returned to Grayling Sunday after spending several days in Saginaw and Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Barber and son, Jerry, spent a few days last week in Durand.

Mrs. Jack Downer of Pontiac, who was here with her parents, the C. S. Barbers, returned home Tuesday, also her brother, Edward Barber, returned to his home in Chicago on Thursday.

The Cleo Hinkle tavern closed January 1 till spring, only having an eight month license. They had a good time and large crowd at their New Year's Eve party.

Last Wednesday night the Marin Weavers entertained their aunt, Mrs. Erma Daly of St. Louis, Mo., and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Wardlow of Saginaw.

Betty Lou Barber spent the past week end in Grayling with her aunt, Mrs. Ethel Nelson.

Mrs. A. Smock is home again, having spent the holidays with her daughter and family, the Leo Canons in Marquette.

Miss Lillian Hartig of Hemlock, Michigan, formerly of Frederic and fiance, Mr. Richard F. Haider of Saginaw spent the week end here. The John Hartigs have bought a farm at Hemlock, where they now reside.

Sorry to learn Walter Eaton has been quite sick.

Mrs. Ethel Nelson, Andrew Fox, Miss Beatrice Schrieber and Betty Lou Barber came up Sunday for the day with Mrs. Nelson's parents, the C. S. Barbers.

Mrs. C. S. Barber is able to be out again, after two weeks illness, while C. S. is again on the sick list.

Two children of the George

Skinnars have the mumps. Mrs. Harry Horton is still confined to her home.

Holiday Parties Fete
Mrs Anne Dobbyn

Mrs. C. R. Keyport entertained sixteen ladies for luncheon at Shoppenagons Inn on Wednesday last in honor of her sister, Mrs. Anne Dobbyn of Pine Lake, who was her holiday guest. Following luncheon the ladies progressed to

the Keyport residence, where bridge was enjoyed. Mrs. Robert Hayes held high score and Mrs. Oscar Hanson received the consolation prize.

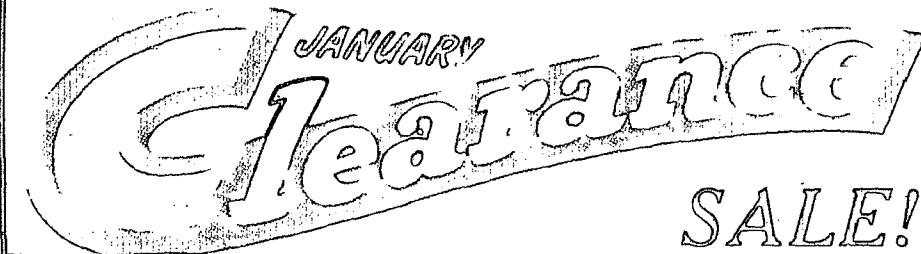
Another holiday party to fete Mrs. Dobbyn was hosted by Mrs. Carl W. Johnson on Thursday. Eight ladies enjoyed luncheon at her home. Mrs. A. M. Lewis held high score in the bridge game that followed.

Mrs. Walter F. Truetner was

hostess to some twenty ladies at an informal gathering at her home on Friday. Tasty refreshments were served from a table centered with an arrangement of evergreen and lighted candles. Christmas decorations throughout the rooms made a pleasant setting for the holiday gathering, also held to honor Mrs. Dobbyn.

CARD OF THANKS

Ernest Olson wishes to thank his many friends for their thoughtfulness during his illness.



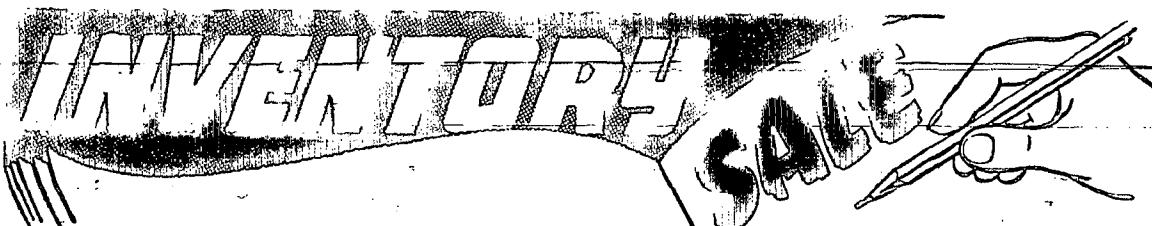
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Thursdays—3:30, Brownie Troop 5, M. M. Church. American Legion, 8:00 P. M., Legion Hall. Second Monday, business; 4th Monday, social. City Council meeting at City Hall on first Monday of every month, 7:30 P. M. Citizens invited. Regular meetings of Grayling Council, Knights of Columbus, first Tuesday of each month at St. Mary's Hall, Grayling. Third Tuesday of each month at St. Michael's Hall, Roscommon. Local Order of the Moose at 8 P. M. on the second and fourth

Wednesday of each month. Youth Fellowship, M. M. Church & each Sunday evening at 6:30. Every Thursday—C. A. P. meeting, Legion Hall, 7:30 P. M. American Legion Auxiliary, 8:00 P. M. Legion Hall. 2nd Tuesday, business; 4th Tuesday, social. Jan. 7—Ladies Aid M. M. Church, 1:00 P. M. potluck. Bring sewing equipment. Jan. 10—Home Extension Group No 5 will meet at Mrs. Ida Papendicks. Jan. 13—Regular meeting of Grayling Rebekah Lodge, No. 352, on Thursday evening at Grange Hall. Jan. 17—Woman's Club at the home of Mrs. Willard Cornell. Dr. Hayes will address the group.

LOCAL NEWS

Amber Jane Meech, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Meech of 801 Chestnut Street, returned Sunday from Battle Creek, where she spent the holiday season visiting friends. Mr. and Mrs. Meech and daughter, Bernice, spent the Xmas holidays in Battle Creek also visiting with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Carlson and daughters, Julia Ellen and Christine.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Clement spent Christmas in Bay City.

Mrs. Wilbur Winslow was taken ill Wednesday of last week and is still confined to her bed.

Jimmy Weckesser of Berkley spent the holidays visiting the Wm. LaRush family.

On New Years Day 26 members of the family met for a potluck dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William LaRush.

Svend Madsen and family of Gaylord spent New Year's Day here with his brothers, Norman and Whitey Madsen and families.

Holiday guests of Arnold Burrows and the Wesley LaGrow family were Mr. Burrows brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burrows of Cheboygan.

Howard DeLaMater has returned to his studies at the U. of M. after enjoying the holidays at his parental home. He had as his guest while here Miss Betsy Gould of St. Charles. Mr. DeLaMater, who is employed in Saginaw spent the holidays home also.

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Large Bottle

Specials Friday and Saturday

C. A. P. NEWS

At the previous meeting an open meeting was held with the public invited to attend, a large group enjoyed two movies, "Bomber Over Africa" and "The Classification of Cadets" the latter being how Army enlistments were put into training for pilot, navigator or bombardier.

After the meeting the Staff held a meeting in which Commander John Selesky read a letter from Wing Headquarters which requested the information of men and planes which would be available for search mission in this northern sector.

At the meeting of December 30 two officers from Traverse City came to the meeting giving some helpful information on the program of a C. A. P. squadron. An interesting demonstration was carried on, a Walkie talkie radio was taken to a local drug store and they communicated with the Legion Hall.

Plans were made for the last Thursday of each month there would be a meeting of the staffs of the two squadrons at Traverse City to discuss mutual problems concerning both squadrons.

Lt. Bob Lozon, Public Relations Officer,

GOLDEN WEDDING

(Continued from Front Page)

manager of the Buick Motor Company.

The Strongs were married in December, 1898 and settled in Imlay City, where Mr. Strong was employed in a wagon shop. It was from this small place in the industrial world of the then awakening America that Mr. Strong began his long climb to the presidency of the huge Buick plants.

He joined the McCormick Harvesting Machinery Co., "experimenting" on farm machinery. But he wanted to be a salesman and so determined was he that he began his long selling career the hard way.

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It was January, the most difficult time to sell farm machinery in Michigan. But the young fellow hit the road with a horse and cutter and did such an excellent job that he soon won several promotions. He covered a good portion of the State and soon knew every side road in the region.

He had a natural talent for selling and as the horseless carriage became more popular he envisioned a brighter future in the new industry. He left a lucrative post with the farm machinery firm and joined Buick as a sales man.

Despite the lower salary, he was given a new opportunity to develop his selling talents and soon he became a sort of trouble shooter for sales zones that weren't doing well. He got the Buffalo, Indianapolis and Chicago zones on their feet before becoming general sales manager in 1916. Ten years later he became president and general manager.

Until 1916, he was always ready to move from one city to another as his job required. He didn't need more than a moment's notice to make a shift and Mrs. Strong was ever ready to go with him.

Once an enthusiastic horseman, Mr. Strong admits that nowadays he only rides "when he has to."

Among his interests is a large peach orchard at Romeo, Mich. There is one son, Bruce W., of Chicago.

Rosebush visited his sister, Mrs. Carl Johnson and Mrs. Jesse Pratt and other relatives in Frederic.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Myers of Wixom spent the week end in Frederic. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Horton and is remaining two weeks. Mr. Myers' two brothers were up also for a little hunting.

Chuck Horton spent the week end with his parents.

John Harmer, Bob Kaiser, Bud Kellogg, Richard Shawl, Pat Castle, Ruthie and Edith Payne and Sally Greiby gathered at the George Horton home to visit Mrs. Myers and were entertained with nice refreshments.

Hans Jungman entered the Grayling Hospital Monday at 4 P. M. for a slight operation.

The Nelson Vollmers returned to their home in Detroit, Sunday.

Chester Garber, who works for the Ford Motor Co. in Detroit is visiting friends and relatives in Frederic.

Belva and Arthur Babcock of Lewiston visited the Lancs Thursday afternoon.

Mr. J. Abe, one of the Frederic school teachers, visited in Chicago and Milwaukee during the holiday vacation. Louis Woodruff, also a teacher, spent his vacation at his home in Belding, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hinkle and sons of Jackson visited Cleo Hinkle and family over New Years.

Peggy Romine of Roscommon is visiting Bertha Lance in Frederic.

The John Peterson family of Rosebush visited his sister, Mrs. Carl Johnson and Mrs. Jesse Pratt and other relatives in Frederic.

A goodly number of friends of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Scott attended the New Year's Eve party at the tavern.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Johnson and children returned home, after their holiday vacation with Mr. and Mrs. J. Lewis of Croswell, Mrs. Johnson's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Olson had their daughter and two children of Detroit with them for New Years, returning to Detroit Sunday.

A number of Lovells-folks enjoyed the watch meeting, Saturday night at the Lewiston First Congregational Church. A very nice program was enjoyed by all.

The Cheerful Givers Club met at their club meeting last week celebrating Ruth Caid's and Virginia VonSee's birthdays. Next meeting will be January 12, held



the series list.

Marion Burch with 175 still leads the average list with Larry Galehouse close behind with 172.4. Al Cherven is close in third place with 172. Bill Sterling and Dave Cook are next with 171.12 each. Charley Papenpus is sixth with Sam Rasmussen seventh and Herman Bertil eighth. Rollie Failling holds down ninth with Claude Cardinal in tenth position.

Women's Division

December 16-17, 1948

Team	Standings	W. L.
1. Spike's	30	6
2. Sorenson's Spt. Gds.	28	8
3. F. & F.	24	12
4. Dorets	23	13
5. American Leg. Auxil.	21	15
6. Kennedy's Flowers	20	16
7. Shirley Shoppe	19	17
8. Olson's Shoes	18	18
9. Hanson's Chevrolets	17	19
10. Dawsons	16	20
11. Tip Top Togs	14	22
12. Spike's Recreation	13	23
13. AuSable Hotel	13	23
14. Weaver Bottle Gas	12	24
15. Bear Archery Cubs	11	25
16. Down River Pines	9	27

A 192 rolled by E. Burch was the individual single high game for the week. L. Worden, J. Harwood, A. Wiggins and M. LaMotte rolled 175, 171, 170 and 168 games respectively. E. Burch and L. Ryan captured the individual three game series honors with a total pinfall of 473 each. They were followed by C. Sorenson with 463, P. Newell with 458 and G. Gale and G. Koerper with 453 each. Sorenson took both single and three game high honors with a 725 game and 2008 three game total. Other single high games rolled were Tip Top Togs 705, Hanson's 697, American Legion Auxiliary 690 and Spike's 686. Spikes rolled a 2002 total to place second in the three game series and were followed by F. & F. with 1958, Tip Top Togs 1956 and Hanson's 1940. C. Sorenson heads the average list with 147 followed by E. Burch 146, G. Koerper 143, M. Nielsen 141 and P. Long 140.

League bowling will resume this week:

Lovells Notes

Jack Frantz of Corunna spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. F. Crooks.

Social evening every Wednesday evening at 8 sharp at the Frederic Town Hall, sponsored by the Men's Sportsmen's Club. Come on folks, help the good cause.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Madill and Mr. and Mrs. A. Madill left Thursday for Bay City to spend New Years Eve with relatives.

Joyce Howse, Bernie Sajdak and Gene Kaiser left Sunday for Central Michigan College.

Dance every Saturday starting January 8, 1949 at Frederic Town Hall Square and round dances. Good music.

Bob Cassidy and Mrs. Volmer and children are back home from their visit to Detroit for the holidays.

All those who stopped at the AuSable Hotel New Year's Eve was served to everyone.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bielski, Mr. and Mrs. R. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. S. Hauxwell, Miss Cathy Nave, Mr. and Mrs. O. Sharron and Mr. and Mrs. T. Nelson spent New Year's Eve in Frederic.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Fox of Gaylord visited her mother, Mrs. Burke, over New Years.

Kenny Burkhardt celebrated New Year's Eve in Frederic.

The Elton Baldwin family of Cadillac and the Henry Baldwin family of Mt. Pleasant visited their father, Floyd Baldwin, over New Years.

Stanley Langdon of Gaylord spent New Years in Frederic.

Orson Johnson was taken to Grayling Mercy Hospital by Cleo Hinkle Monday morning.

The John Peterson family of Rosebush visited his sister, Mrs. Carl Johnson and Mrs. Jesse Pratt and other relatives in Frederic.

Stephan spent the holidays with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Smith.

Lovells friends were sorry to learn of Jess Jackson's illness, but very glad to hear he is able to be home. We wish for him a speedy recovery.

Misses Martha and Mary Stillwagon of Grayling spent their weeks vacation with their grandparents.

Bud Caid returned Sunday to Elkhart, Ind., to resume his studies at the Elkhart University.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Moore spent the New Year's with friends in Lovells.

A goodly number of friends of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Scott attended the New Year's Eve party at the tavern.

Mr. and Mrs.

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By KAY CAMPBELL

THANKS TO the Hollywood habit of publicizing the astronomical figures attached to the building of sound stages and sets thereon, most persons are apt to think that movie architecture and room designs are too ornate and beyond average means.

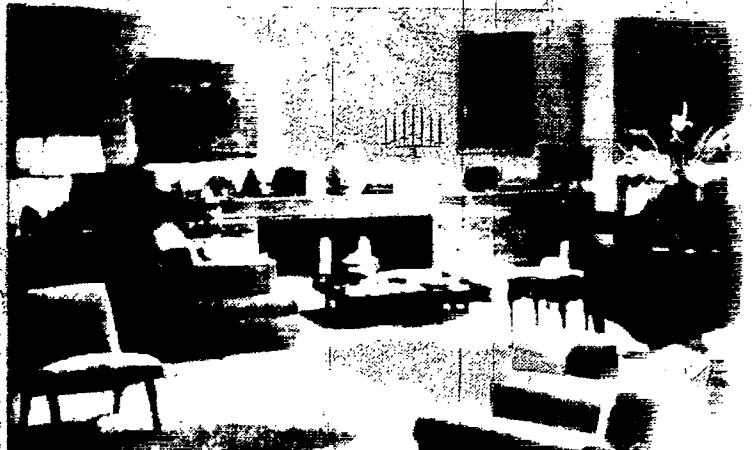
Requests poured into MGM's art department for detailed drawings of Kathryn Grayson's small house, with its delightful small boy's bedroom and charming outdoor-indoor living room, following the release of "Anchors Aweigh." Similarly, the "architect's" farmhouse in "Christmas in Connecticut" brought forth a flood of requests at Warner's. And the "Bringing Up Baby" house resulted in the most extensive fan mail ever received by any art department, with requests for reproduction of floor plans.

However, the chief interest in screen stages lies not in their cost, but in their far-reaching effect on architecture and interiors of houses. While the industry does throw its money around generously on so-called spectacles and production numbers, it has also presented some good ideas for serious homemakers; and a fairly large percentage of innovations which have had a tremendous vogue may be attributed to these talented designers and decorators.

During the depression days, Warner Brothers made a film called "Golden Arrow," on which the budget was kept to a minimum. What to do for furnishings stumped the art department at first, until a set decorator happened on the happy notion of painting some old furniture white. It wasn't long until home owners who had been wondering how to make their dingy furnishings "do" until money was more plentiful followed suit, with the result that a wave of white tables hit the country.

THE USE of table lamps beside a chair was brought into vogue by a Ronald Colman picture, "Raffles." It was quite by accident that the set decorator, Julie Heron, discovered how attractive they made a set, with the little glow cast by the open tops, in place of the customary ornate chandeliers. Aladdin lamps used as cigarette lighters caught the spotlight of popularity following the showing of "Dodsworth." Cellophane hat boxes and fancy closets are directly traceable to the movies, as are Venetian blinds, indirect lighting, and draperies which sweep the floor.

"The Adventures of Marco Polo," released in 1938, was instrumental in popularizing what has since become known as Chinese Modern. The lacquered tables and chairs as well as the



This set, used in the filming of Warner Brothers' "Deer.... caused a flurry of popularity for sprawling coffee tables, long mantles and hassocks.

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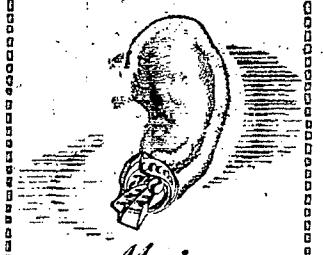
"He gets up, walks down stairs and fixes himself a bowl of hot Grape-Nuts Wheat-Meal."

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Mai Hansen, Station WOW's farm radio chief, responsible for Europe tour of 26 midwestern "plain dirt" farmers (page 6).



A tray of fresh doughnuts and bismarcks make an afternoon or evening snack to please the entire family. For recipes see page 3.



Now is the time to start amassing sets riding on the Christmas bike, and Webster City, Iowa, has some pointers for athletes.



Robby Driscoll plays the Indiana farm boy who raises a castoff black ram lamb to championship status in 'So Dear To My Heart.'

GRANGE COUNTY
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CRITICALS

1. **SOFT MILK DOUGHNUTS**

2. **SEVEN MINUTE FROSTING**

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WHEN GRANDMA bought the silverware after a festive dinner, she usually put it into the family vault, and waited for the next special occasion. Her prized silverware often a family heirloom or wedding gift, was deserving of such care, she felt. But Grandma was wrong!

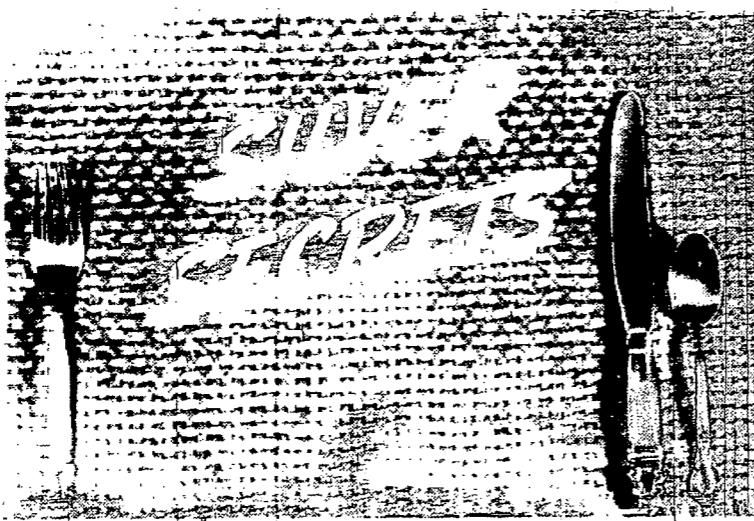
Today, women are learning more scientific ways of caring for their silverware. Grandma was wrong because so far as silverware is concerned, it will never wear out. If it is solid silver and bears the stamp "sterling," it must be 925/1000 pure. The fact is that the more often silver is used the less it has to be polished and the more beautiful it becomes. When you put silver away it tarnishes. When you use it again, it gains luster and its color improves. In fact, the country's leading silversmiths claim that the matter of frequent use is so important that, if you do not use your silverware daily, it is best to rotate the pieces used. In this way, tarnishing can be avoided.

MOST OF THE so-called tricks of cleaning silverware are as ill-founded as ancient superstitions. Most of them unhappily have the disadvantage of robbing the silver of its tone. If you boil the silver with a mixture of soda and salt in an aluminum pot, as some housewives do, you'll be successful in removing the tarnish, but you'll also remove the patina. The patina, according to the dictionary, is the fine green rust which, like varnish, is both preservative and ornamental in fine metals.

In other words, if you want your silverware to look its very best, it's wise to avoid short-cuts. You might just as well polish it from the very start, for no trick has yet been devised to take the place of polish.

If the silver pattern is ornate in design, with a raised or inland decoration, use a small brush such as a toothbrush, to remove polish from the little hollows.

Another mistaken notion is that silverware cannot be used every day because



Good silverware is a life-time investment; here's how to buy and care for your prized flatware.

By BETTY and WILLIAM WALLER

cause silver is soft and scratches easily. That is true only to a degree and, in this case, it is an advantage. The experts say that silver is more durable than many metals, and such scratches should be soaked; food should never be scraped from it. It should be washed in hot soap suds and rinsed in hot water, then dried with a soft towel while still warm. When eggs have been part of the meal, it is especially important to wash your table service promptly, for eggs discolor silver.

Rubber also has a bad effect on silver, so never keep anything made of rubber in the same drawer in which

who leaves her guests and goes back into the kitchen to take care of the silverware is acting wisely. Silverware should be soaked; food should never be scraped from it. It should be washed in hot soap suds and rinsed in hot water, then dried with a soft towel while still warm. When eggs have been part of the meal, it is especially important to wash your table service promptly, for eggs discolor silver.

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it, and so does salt. For this reason, such articles as salt shakers and candy and nut dishes made of silver require extra care. Always be sure that no particles of salt remain on them. It is a wise precaution to line silver dishes with doilies, because salt leaves tiny black pit-marks on silver.

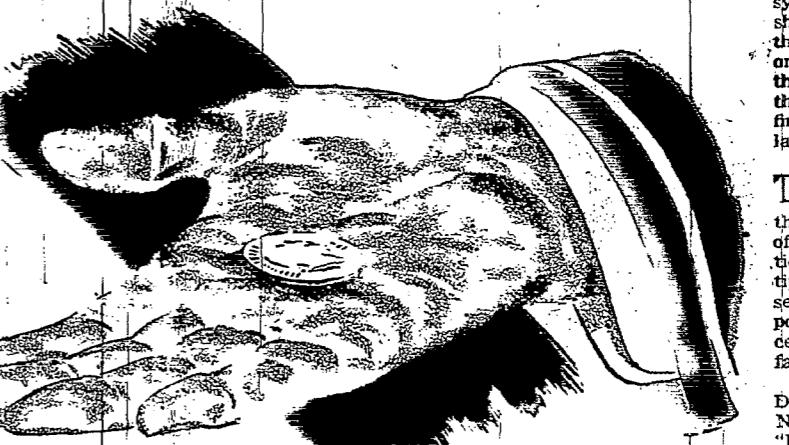
IN GRANDMA'S TIME people usually waited until they could afford to buy a complete set of silverware before even thinking of owning such a cherished possession. But times have changed in this respect, as in so many other things. Nowadays, the modern bride is apt to budget her silver buying. The younger set often purchases a six-piece set at a time, or buys individual pieces. The second way is practical for families because it permits the immediate use of silver with whatever service they have. As each new piece of silver is bought, it then displaces the ordinary piece.

"Bargains" in silver often are not bargains at all. As with most things you get just what you pay for. In sterling this means thickness. Cheap silver is apt to be silver, all right, but rolled to tissue paper thickness. While it is still sterling, it may be extremely fragile. It is often better to wait a bit and buy a better grade which will give greater value in the long run.

If sterling is too expensive for the family budget silver plate is suggested as a good substitute. It has been much improved by modern processes since Grandma's time. Silverplate, which is a coating of silver on other metal, now is a more reliable article, thanks to modern electroplating methods. It will last for years, and, when worn, can always be replated.

During the war silver was a valuable asset of national defense, used in many military weapons. Very little was then available for home use. Now it is plentiful again, and women once more are buying silverware to grace the nation's tables. The silversmiths urge caution in buying and remember afterward to take care of your silverware!

The Gentle Art of



Gimme, gimme, gimme, is the slogan of this modern racketeer, the man with outstretched, eager palm.

BLACKMAIL

Tipping started as an old English custom, but it's become a million dollar racket

By JULES FRANCE

"Well, I didn't you like the way he did you?"

"On the contrary, he did me beautifully."

"Well, then, why don't you want to tip him?"

"Do I have to tip him?"

"No-o, but well everybody tips the rubor."

"Well, I don't want to. That's my privilege, isn't it?"

Alarmed at this amazing breach of etiquette, the cashier summoned the manager. My friend had to go through the same interrogation. Finally, in desperation, he threatened to tell everyone he knew to stay away from this turkish bath where, apparently, you had to tip the masseur or be subjected to a third-degree.

A few hardy souls, made of sterner stuff than most of us, have on occasion completely defied the tipping system. One hero, about to leave a hotel, observed the staff line up in an informal gauntlet. He urbanely shook each extended palm and murmured a cordial goodby. The shock was so great that by the time his audacity had been realized, he had escaped.

AFRIEND recently decided to test his right to refuse to be blackmailed. At a turkish bath in Long Island, he left no tip for the masseur. When he paid his bill, the cashier politely reminded him that he had "forgotten" to tip the rubor.

"Oh, no, I haven't," he replied. "I don't want to tip him."

The cashier was startled. "Didn't he look after you?"

"Yes, he did."

DURING various systems of tipping began with medieval barbers, who performed minor surgical operations in the days when bleeding was fashionable for thrombosis, hæmorrhage and crooked toenails. Customers weren't asked to pay a flat sum for the privilege of being bled white. On the contrary, the service was absolutely free.

But of course, if a customer were rash enough to leave the barber shop without "tipping" the barber what he could afford, or what he thought his gory orgy was worth, he might find that he'd walked off with a razor in his throat.

The custom of tipping spread rapidly to English inns and coach houses. Small, slotted boxes were filling conspicuously in lobbies, with signs reading: "To Insure Promptness." The initials of this warning, by the way, provided us with the ugly word "tip."

The evils of tipping were anticipated as early as 1760, when England passed a law forbidding "tips," as tips were then called. But no one paid attention to the law, and it languished. Just before the second war, another bill was introduced into parliament to make tipping illegal. It was presumed, however, to have shared the same fate as the proposed toll road Buckingham Palace into a public bowling alley. The bill

was buried and forgotten.

Still others, like Theodore Cross in her book "Social Customs," firmly support complete abolition of the tipping system on grounds that "employers should give a just remuneration to their employees, and not depend upon the general public to sustain them in gratuities." She reveals that the trail has been blazed by "nearly all fine clubs in America," which have outlawed tipping entirely.

TIPPING is not the Damocles' sword in other lands today that it is in the United States. In many districts of Scandinavia, for example, the practice is unknown. In Denmark you only tip occasionally, for some outstanding service. In Finland, travelers have reported that taxi drivers would not accept one cent more than the correct fare.

During the war, the Yank influx Down Under forced Australian writer Noreen Routledge to plead in her book, "Etiquette for Australians": "It must be remembered that each person tipped is in receipt of a salary. You are therefore pandering to a wrong streak in their natures by encouraging them to look for tips. You are also doing an ill service to the man or woman who cannot afford to offer them."

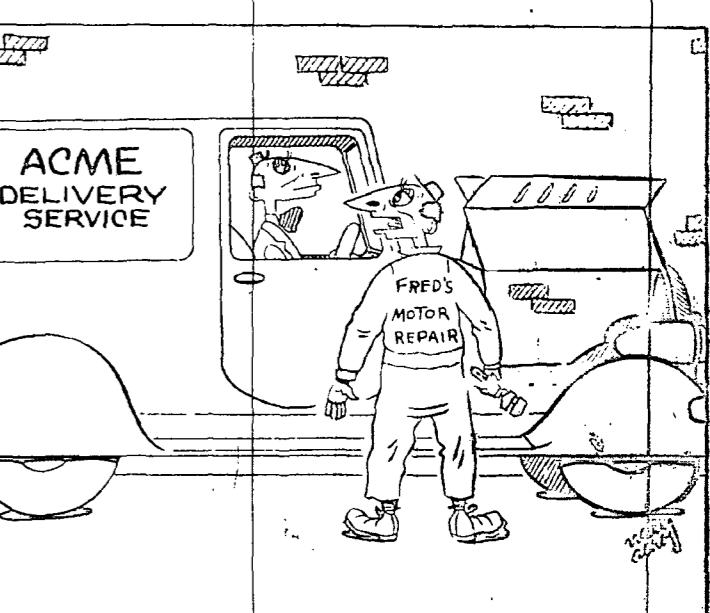
Tipping at sea is equally confusing. One authority provides a safe scale for the normal voyage—boat cabin steward, \$5; table steward, \$3; bath steward, 25 cents per bath; deck steward, \$2; wine steward, \$2; each bar attendant you annoy, \$1; cabin boy, 25 cents each.

THERE is little hope for an effective attack on tipping. But every citizen can help himself and his neighbors by at least holding down the size of his own tips to a bare minimum. Few Americans actually know what are acceptable minimums under our complicated etiquette of tipping. Here are suggestions:

In American plan hotels, don't tip a waiter more than 5% of your week's board. The headwaiter rates \$1.50 a week, the chambermaid 50 cents a week. A dime a trip is enough for a bellboy, 25 cents for carrying your baggage. Trunks pay off at 25 cents each. Redcaps rate 15 cents per bag for a dash to a train. For a quick tax ride, a 15 cent tip is plenty. For more than one passenger, or for bags, trunks, waiting, etc., a quarter will do. For the Pullman porter who prepares your berth, 25 cents. For airline hostesses nothing.

The whole idea of tipping is obviously illogical. We don't tip the butcher for selling us meat, the dentist for cleaning our teeth, the cashier for selling us movie tickets, the postman for bringing us mail, the movie usher who seats us. And they continue to serve us just as cheerfully in fact, much more so than the public busineses to whom we pay blackmail.

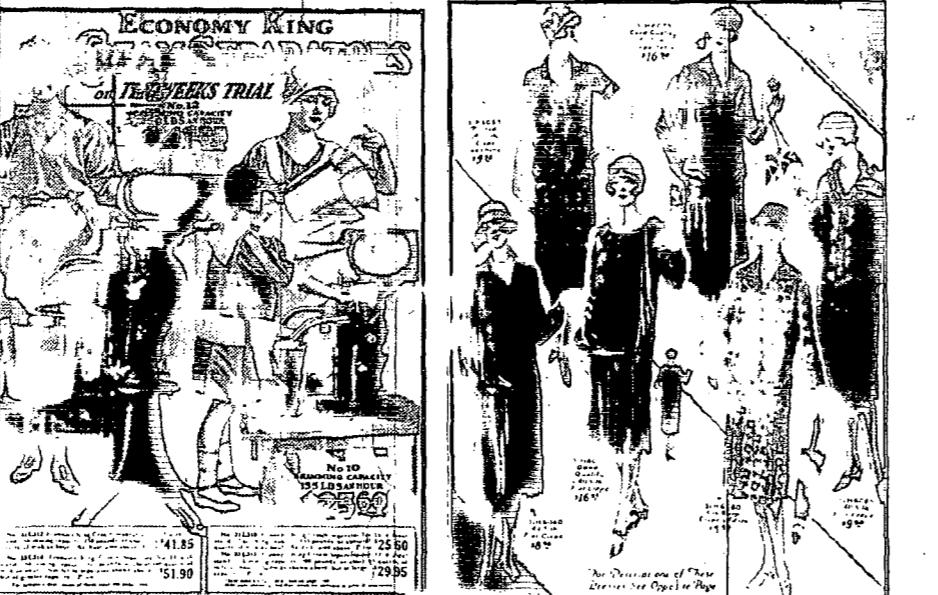
Why tip anybody?



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A Dollar Was a Dollar

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